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## NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495)

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/28/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 12/28/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/28/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 12/28/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 12/28/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 12/28/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 04/18/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 12/28/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/28/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 12/28/2005

Applicant's response filed 04/18/2006 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 03/22/2006 have not been completed.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - The second inventor identified on the international application is not on the declaration.

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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